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**DRE0156US.NP**

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Title: **Nanoporous Carbide Derived Carbon with Tunable Pore Size**

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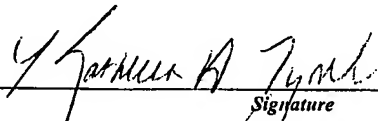
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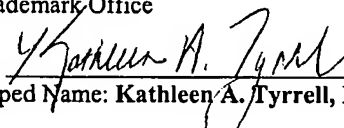
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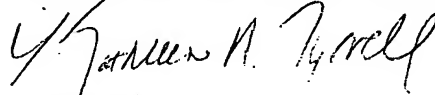
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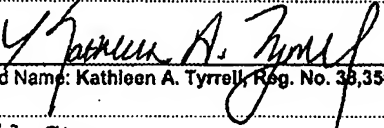
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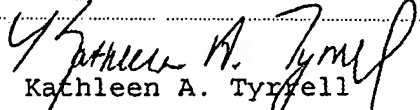
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SEARCH FEE	U.S. is ISA = \$ 50 / \$ 100 ALL other countries = \$ 200 / \$ 400	All other situations = \$ 250 / \$ 500
FEE FOR EXTRA SPEC. PGS.	minus 100 =	/ 50 =
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OR

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EXAM. FEE	
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X \$ 250 =	
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TOTAL	

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